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#### FRESNO CHAFFEE ZOO HOSTS WINTER ZOO CAMP

*Fresno, CA* – Children currently enrolled in grades 1-4 can join Fresno Chaffee Zoo for educational Zoo Camp programs during the winter holiday break. Fresno Chaffee Zoo hosts three different camps that inspire campers' appreciation and wonder of the natural world through discovery, nature play, crafts, and animal interactions.

"Zoo Camp is one of the many ways that Fresno Chaffee Zoo educates future generations on the importance of conservation," said Dean Watanabe, Chief Mission Officer. "Our team creates engaging activities that help foster campers' natural creativity while building a passion for conservation. We are excited to offer this educational and fun programming for children in the Fresno area during the holiday break."

Winter Zoo Camp will take place December 20-23, 27-30, and January 3-6. Camp hours are 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. daily. Fresno Chaffee Zoo Members can register their child for Winter Zoo Camp for \$128 and non-members can register for \$136. Space for this event is extremely limited and all campers should bring a face mask for any programing that is held indoors or when social distancing cannot be accommodated. For more information or to register, visit fresnochaffeezoo.org.

## Winter Zoo Camp Schedule

### Winter Feast – December 20-23, 2021

Seeds, berries, bark. See what's on the winter menu for animals around the world.

### Cozy Critters – December 27-30, 2021

Learn how critters stay cozy by nesting and napping. Come get snug as a bug in a rug (rug not included).

# **Zooper Heroes – January 3-6, 2022**

There are lots of ways to be heroes for wildlife. Come learn about conservation and all the ways that zoos help save animals.

For more information and to register, visit the Zoo's website at https://fresnochaffeezoo.org/winter-zoo-camp/

About Fresno Chaffee Zoo: Centrally located in Fresno, California, Fresno Chaffee Zoo is a 39-acre Association of Zoos and Aquariums (AZA) accredited zoo. It is home to over 200 different species and features WOW exhibits—from Sea Lion Cove to African Adventure—that teach guests about animals all across the globe and the conservation efforts to protect them. The Zoo welcomes over 800,000 guests annually, offering a world-class guest experience and conservation education to all who visit. The mission of Fresno Chaffee Zoo is to inspire wonder of our natural world, provide an engaging learning environment, and create a passion for conservation.

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